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Sir:

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Further, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e), the undersigned hereby certifies that each of the listed reference(s) was first cited in a Communication (copy and English translation enclosed) from a foreign patent office in connection with a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this statement. Please note that the reference JP-U-62-201957 cited in the Communication was already cited in the information disclosure statement filed with the present application on March 3, 2004.

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Respectfully submitted,

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